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Dedicated with love and devotion
to the memory of
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CHAPTER ONE
FIRST GENERATION

1. JOHN S. WAITLEY
1772 — 1868

JOHN S. WAITLEY is the earliest known ancestor of the Waitley name in the United States. Information about him appears in a "History of Crawford County" published in Iowa in 1893, page 308. This volume is in the Historical, Memorial and Art Department in the Iowa State Capital.

According to this sketch, John S. Waitley was a native of Scotland. His parents came to America and settled in Massachusetts. Later his mother was lost at sea when on a return visit to Scotland. John S. Waitley married Lydia Bartlett, a daughter of Josiah Bartlett, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence.

He became a minister of the Free-will Baptist Church. He moved to Ashtabula County, Ohio, lived there several years and later moved to Canton, Ohio. He died in Knox County, Ohio, in 1868 at the age of 96. His wife died in 1858 in Knox County, Ohio. They had lived in Mt. Vernon most of the time.

They had a least one son, Corydon H. Waitley, who was born in Massachusetts in 1829.

The connection between the Waitley family and the famous Josiah Bartlett family cannot be definitely established through other sources. Biographies of Josiah Bartlett do not mention a daughter named Lydia.

Josiah Bartlett was born in Massachusetts in 1729 at Amesbury. He moved to Kingston, N. H., and began the practice of medicine there in 1750. *1.

He was a delegate to the Continental Congress and signed the Declaration of Independence in 1776. He became Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of N. H. in 1788, and was the state's first governor, elected in 1793 under the new State Constitution. He was also the first president of the Medical Society established in 1791 through his efforts. *2.

Josiah Bartlett married Mary Bartlett, daughter of Joseph Bartlett of Newton, N.H. Mary Bartlett had a sister named Lydia, younger than she. *3.

Another Lydia Bartlett was the daughter of Samuel Bartlett of New Ipswich, N.H., and Newton, Mass. She was born Feb. 3, 1771, so was about the same age as John S. Waitley. *4.

Sanderson states that Josiah Bartlett's wife was a lady of Kingston (N.H.) who died in 1789, six years previous to the death of her husband. Josiah Bartltet died in 1795 at the age of sixty-six years. *5.

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*1. Sanderson—Biography of the Signers—Vol. 3 p. 136-165
*2. Encyclopedia Americana, 1945 ed. Vol III, p. 294
*3. The Bartlett Family, by Levi Bartlett, 1875, p. 42
*4. The Bartlett Family, by Levi Bartlett, 1875, p. 105
*5. Biography of the Signers, by Sanderson, Vol. III, p. 136

Putting all these biographical facts together we find that Josiah Bartlett would have been exactly one hundred years old in 1829, the year Corydon H. Waitley, son of John S. and Lydia Bartlett Waitley, was born. Therefore it seems quite unlikely that Lydia Bartlett Waitley was Josiah Bartlett's daughter. It is possible that she was a grand-daughter of his by one of his sons. It is also possible that she was related to him through his wife's sister. And it is possible that she descended from another Bartlett family altogether.

Some relationship to Josiah Bartlett is probable, but no proof has been obtained so far.

An interesting story about John S. Waitley was written to Blanche Miller Waitley of Rock Springs, Wyoming, on March 27, 1939, by Mildred Ackerman (Mrs. W. A.) of Mount Vernon, Ohio. Mrs. Ackerman wrote at the request of the Probate Court of Knox County, in response to Blanche Miller Waitley's inquiry as to Waitley-Bartlett ancestry. She wrote:

> "I looked through the records of the Probate Court of Knox County and find that no birth dates before 1867 are recorded. I found no death records of the names you mentioned. I did find, however, one marriage record (Corydon H. Waitley), and I attach a copy. (See page 6.)
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> "I heard an interesting story from an old resident. Two brothers, John S. Merrihew and Andrew Merrihew, were born in Scotland. Their father died and the widow with some friends went to Canada, and came into Ohio by way of Ashtabula. The mother died and the boys were separated. John S. was taken by a man by the name of Waitley and his name changed from John S. Merrihew to John S. Waitley. The brother Andrew kept the name of Merrihew. He came to Knox County, Ohio, and lived in Green Valley, near Mount Vernon. His great grandson, O. A. Wyker, resides in Green Valley now. (The Post Office is Mount Vernon.) Later John S. Waitley came to Knox County and the men found that they were brothers.
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> "John S. Waitley married Lydia Bartlett. I believe he died in Knox County but do not know where buried. Lydia Bartlett Waitley was buried in a small cemetery known as Pagetown, in Delaware County, Ohio.
>
> "I believe that Lydia Bartlett's grandmother's maiden name was Cobb."

Certain portions of this letter bear out some of the legends that have been handed down in the Waitley family, especially that regarding a change of name. It was known by all members of the family that a name change had occurred, but it had been thought that the name was changed upon the arrival of the family in the United States from Scotland. This letter offers a logical explanation for this legend. It is probably true.

An attempt was made to trace the Merrihew and Wyker families, but no replies came from them. The name of Cobb does not appear in any of the reference books listed in preceding notes.

A letter written by this editor to Delaware County regarding the burial place of Lydia Bartlett Waitley described as Pagetown was answered by Florence D. Main (Mrs. Carl) of Cleveland, Ohio, at the request of Judge Paul Barrett of Delaware County. This letter, dated November 28, 1955, states:

"We found no gravestone for Lydia Bartlett Waitley at the cemetery near Pagetown. We found only the following Waitley inscription:

Cory, son of J. & L. Waitley
died June 16, 1865
aged 1 yr 15 days

"There are two other cemeteries within a mile or two of Pagetown. I have record of both of these and there are no inscriptions for Waitleys.

"The cemetery near Pagetown is located at the town of Fargo on the Wesleyan Methodist Church grounds (Church organized in 1850). It might be there is a church record. Might I suggest you write to John H. Cole, the pastor, at Fargo c/o Marengo Post Office.

"Death Records in Ohio were not kept prior to 1867. So there would be no record other than a cemetery or church record of a death occurring in 1858."

The Rev. John H. Cole did not reply to a letter written to him by this editor in December, 1955.

The discovery mentioned by Mrs. Main brings to light a child of the family unkown until this time.

Little Cory could not have been the son of John S. and Lydia Bartlett Waitley, for Lydia died in 1858. He might have been a son of Corydon H. Waitley, see Second Generation of this book. If so, he was born about a year and a half before Corydon's daughter Eva, and died about two months before she was born. We know that Eva was born August 23, 1865, in Noble County, Indiana. The History of Crawford County states that Corydon Waitley moved to Noble County in 1859. Edwin Waitley's memoirs state that he was very young when the family moved to Noble County, and he was born in Mount Vernon in 1859. It seems unlikely that a family would move from central Ohio to northern Indiana immediately after the death of a year old child and only two months before the birth of their fourth or fifth child, considering the primitive means of transportation and the difficult living conditions of a hundred years ago.

This leads us to assume that John S. and Lydia Bartlett Waitley might have had a second son, perhaps named John, and that little Cory was his only child.

As far as we know there are no other Waitleys in the United States except those descended from Corydon H. Waitley.

CHAPTER TWO
SECOND GENERATION

2. CORYDON H. WAITLEY
1829 — 1898

CORYDON H. WAITLEY, son of John S. and Lydia Bartlett Waitley, was born in Massachusetts in 1829. His parents moved to Ohio when he was a child and he attended schools at Canton. He also attended Hiram College at Hiram, Ohio, and was a student there in 1851 with James A. Garfield, who became President of the United States in 1880.

He married Rosalie MacKenzie on June 13, 1855, in Knox County, Ohio. Their marriage record is quoted on page 6. In the marriage record her name is written Rosilley McKinsey. This is probably a clerical error, as the name as spelled on the tombstones at Dunlap, Iowa, is more likely to be correct and is the one used throughout this book.

This marriage united the Scotch blood of the Waitley family with the English blood of the Sapp family, which came to this country in about 1650 and settled in Maryland under the leadership of Lord Baltimore. The story of the Sapp Family is given in detail in this book, page 13.

Rosalie MacKenzie was born in Knox County, Ohio, on Sept. 21, 1835. She was the daughter of Moses MacKenzie from Maryland and Hester Sapp MacKenzie from Kentucky, who were married in Ohio and resided in Brown and Knox Counties, Ohio. Moses MacKenzie died in Knox County in 1841. Hester Sapp MacKenzie died in St. Elmo, Illinois, in 1882. *1.

Rosalie MacKenzie was raised in the Catholic religion, being in the seventh generation of a family which had come to this country to escape religious persecution in England. She gave up her religion when she married, but is believed to have returned to it during the last ten years of her life.

She was the fourth of seven children. Her brother, Sylvester, born in 1831, served in the Union Army from 1861 to 1865 with the Eighth Iowa Volunteers. He was the oldest of her family and was affectionately known as "Uncle Ves". His stories of the Civil War became legends among the younger generation. He died in Dunlap, Iowa, in 1908, and received military honors at his burial there.

Nothing is known of the other members of the MacKenzie family. Another example of confused spelling of names occurs in the Sapp family story. It states that Hester Sapp married Mr. McKinzie and one of their children was Rosella. This is perhaps a more accurate spelling than Rosalie, as the name has always been pronounced Rosella. *2.

Corydon H. and Rosalie MacKenzie Waitley moved to Noble County, Indiana, in 1859, where he managed the large farm of Mr. H. H. Wheeler. Then they moved to La Grange, Indiana, and in 1878 to Harrison County, Iowa. He bought a

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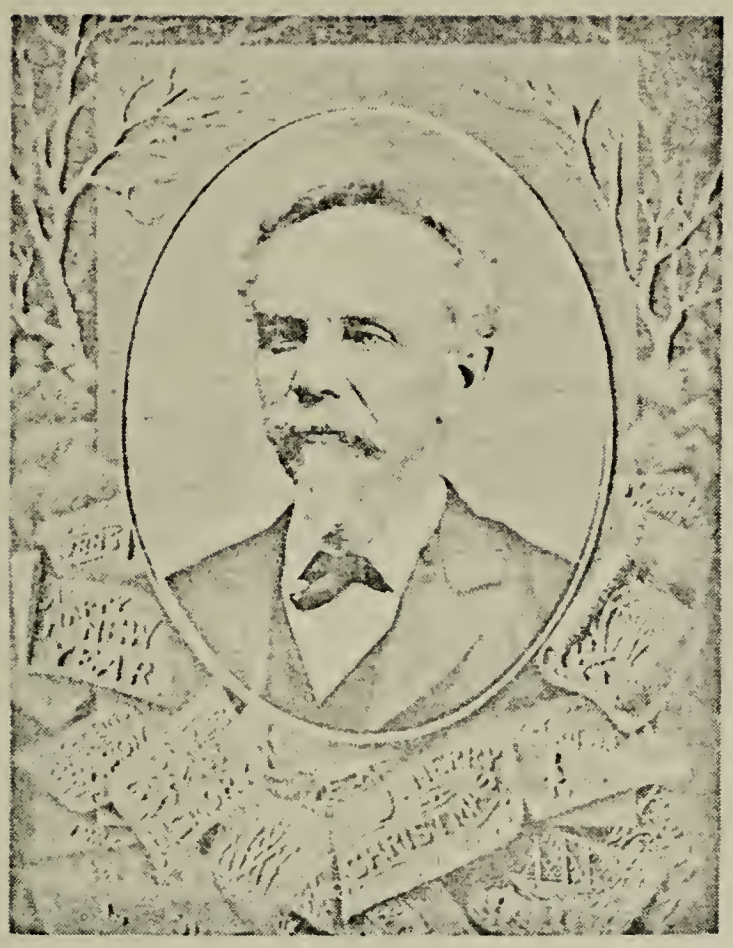
1 Clipping, The Cedar Rapids Republican, Sept. 2, 1915.
2 "A History of the Sapp Family" by J. Gooden Sapp, pages 10-18.



Corydon H. Waitley
Dunlap, Iowa, 1884

Edwin Burton Waitley
Ames, Iowa, 1916

Mary Lavina Roberts Waitley
Dunlap, Iowa, 1905
wife of Edwin Burton Waitley

farm of 240 acres in Crawford County, Iowa, in 1884, which included a very large orchard. *3.

The family lived in Dunlap, in a large white house on one of the main streets. They had five children. They were staunch Methodists and had many friends in the town and in the surrounding area. Corydon Waitley was a man of many capabilities. His son, Edwin Burton Waitley, wrote of him:

"Father was a very handy man, who could build a saw mill or a house or barn; in fact, he could build any type of building or repair any machine. During the War of the Rebellion my father remained with Mr. Wheeler, as he was badly needed there. When I was three or four years old he took charge of a newly built saw mill for Mr. Wheeler and built a house for us about a mile from the Wheelers' closer to the mill. He had a crew of men who cut the logs and hauled them to the mill yard. The logging was done during the winter, then sawed during the summer into shingles, laths, or any dimensions.

"After the end of the War father moved to Green Center, about twelve miles southwest of where we were living. There he worked at a shoe store. He could make boots and shoes, fur coats, fur caps, fur robes. He also assisted a veterinary surgeon during this time, and always had a way with animals.

"I remember vividly the timber land surrounding us in Indiana, and the abundance of beechnuts, hickory nuts and acorns. Also the country was overrun with wild hogs, which were a nuisance and a danger. Many of them were real maneaters, especially in the spring, when the baby hogs arrived. Hunting hogs became quite a sport, and eventually they were wiped out."

Corydon H. Waitley died in Dunlap, Iowa, in 1898 at the age of 69, and is buried there.

Rosalie MacKenzie Waitley spent the rest of her life for the most part with her daughter, Flora Waitley Hoff. She spent some time each year with her son, Edwin Burton Waitley, and his family.

She is lovingly remembered by her grandchildren as a small and delicate woman. She was in poor health because of a heart ailment the last ten years of her life. She died August 22, 1915,at the home of her daughter in Cedar Rapids. The cause of death was heart disease. She was 79 years old. She was buried at Oak Hill Cemetery, Cedar Rapids.

CHILDREN:

3. Flora R., b. 1856, d. 1935
   married William L. Hoff +
4. Edwin Burton, b. Dec. 12, 1859, d. Aug. 10, 1932
   married Mary Lavina Roberts +
5. Charles S., b. 1861, d. 1892
6. Eva Angeline, b. Aug. 23, 1865, d. Nov. 1925
   married Dr. Llewelyn Q. Spaulding +
7. Ida May, b. 1869, d. 1941
   married Ernest E. Nurse +

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3 "History of Crawford County, Iowa," page 308.

THE STATE OF OHIO
KNOX COUNTY

This is to certify that on the 13th day of June, A.D. 1855, I, H. P. Roberts, a Justice of the Peace, joined in matrimony,

Mr. C. H. Waitley
and
Miss Rosilley McKinsey

Given under my hand this 31st day of July A.D. 1855.

Signed,
H. P. Roberts, J.P.

Copy of Sketch of Corydon H. Waitley
from the History of Crawford County, Iowa
published 1893 — page 308

C. H. WAITLEY, a farmer and successful fruit grower, residing in Boyer Twp., Crawford County, Iowa, came to the county in 1878. He was born in Mass., in 1829 and was the son of John S. and Lydia Bartlett Waitley, natives of Scotland. His father came with his mother to America and settled in Mass. where he married. Grandmother Waitley was on a return visit to Scotland and was lost at sea. The father of our sketch was a minister of the Free-will Baptist Church and his mother was a daughter of Josiah Bartlett, one of the signers of the Dec. of Independence who was also an officer of the Revolutionary War.

John Waitley removed to Ashtabula Co., Ohio, lived there several years and later removed to Canton, Ohio. His death occurred in Knox County, Ohio, in 1868 aged 96. His wife died in 1858 in Knox County, Ohio.

Corydon H. Waitley was married in Knox County in 1855 to Miss Rosalie MacKenzie, a native of Knox County and the daughter of Moses and Hester (Sapp) MacKenzie, the former of Maryland and the latter of Kentucky. The marriage of Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie took place in Ohio and they resided in Brown and Knox Counties, Ohio. He died in Knox County in 1841. She survived him, dying in 1882. She died in St. Elmo, Ill.

Our subject attended Canton schools and then Hiram College, a pupil there with President Garfield.

Our subject removed to Noble, Indiana, in 1859, and engaged in milling, thence he went to LaGrange, Indiana, then in 1878 he came to Harrison County, Iowa. He bought a farm in Crawford County, Iowa, in 1884. Now with his son E. B. Waitley they own 240 acres in a fine state of cultivation. (Then follows a description of the farm including a very large orchard and fruit farm.)

Mr. and Mrs. Waitley have four children: Flora, wife of W. L. Hoff; Edwin B., a photographer of Dunlap, Iowa; Charlie, whose death occurred June 19, 1892, age 31; Eva, the wife of Dr. Spaulding of Battle Creek, Iowa; and Ida remains at home.

THE SAPP FAMILY
ANCESTRY OF ROSALIE MacKENZIE WAITLEY

In addition to the Waitley family the children of Corydon H. and Rosalie MacKenzie Waitley may claim the Sapp family as their ancestors. "A History of the Sapp Family" was written by J. Gooden Sapp of Wyanet, Illinois, and H. W. Stanley of Wichita, Kansas, and was published in 1910. It is available at Newberry Library, Chicago.

According to old records quoted in the book, John Sapp came to this country from England in about 1650 with the second or third load of settlers brought by Lord Calvert to settle in Maryland. These settlers left England to escape religious persecution. They were devout Catholics.

In the second generation of the Sapp famiy John Sapp was the third son of the original John, and from him come most of the descendants listed in the above volume.

In the third generation his third son George was born in Maryland probably about 1705. George had six children, one of whom was named John.

In the fourth generation John Sapp, son of George, was the ancestor of importance to us. He was born about 1740 and in about 1800 he and his family of nine children moved westward into Kentucky.

In the fifth generation George Sapp, eldest son of John, was born about 1765, probably in Maryland. In about 1809 George and his family moved to Ohio and settled in Knox County. He was called Kentucky George to distinguish him from his cousins and his father's brother, George, who had settled near Danville, Knox County, ahead of him. His was a vigorous and active family. His children all lived until the youngest was 40 years old, save two who died in infancy. And he had fourteen children!

In the sixth generation the tenth child, Hester, was probably born about 1805 in Kentucky. According to the data on page 18 of "A History of the Sapp Family", Hester married Mr. McKinzie and had seven children: Sylvester, Hiliary, Moses, Rosella, Susanna, Rebecca, and Mary Ellen. Here is another example of confused spelling of names.

In the seventh generation it was Rosella, fourth child of Hester Sapp McKinzie, who married Corydon H. Waitley. The name is spelled Rosalie MacKenzie on the tombstones at Dunlap, Iowa, and this spelling is used throughout the Waitley family story.

CHAPTER THREE
THIRD GENERATION

3. FLORA R. WAITLEY
1856 — 1935

Descent: 2. Corydon H. Waitley — Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley — Lydia Bartlett

FLORA R. WAITLEY was the first child of Corydon H. and Rosalie MacKenzie Waitley. She was born in 1856 probably in Knox County, Ohio, where her parents had been married in 1855. The family moved to La Grange, Indiana, and it was probably there she met and married William L. Hoff. They undoubtedly were married about 1876, as we know that their son, Archie, was born in 1877 and the family moved to Iowa in 1878.

William L. Hoff, called Will, was a tall and handsome young man with many interests and ambitions. He was a born promoter and advertiser. For instance, starting out as a photographer in La Grange he called his shop the "Photographic Gallery of Art", and later in Carroll and Dunlap, Iowa, he called himself "Hoff, the People's Photographer".

His chance to go into a big business venture came in the early 1900s. With a partner he established a business college, which they named the Interstate School of Commerce, with headquarters at Cedar Rapids. They bought a lovely home there and the business grew rapidly.

In characteristic fashion Will decided to expand. They built a branch of the school at Harlan, Iowa, and made big plans for a real estate development around it. The town of Harlan was not large enough to support such an enterprise, however, and after four years (in 1912) it was abandoned. This was a blow to all the family, as Will Hoff had persuaded Ed Waitley, Flora's brother, to leave his home and business in Dunlap to go into it with him, and had hired Neil Waitley, Ed's son, to aid with the building of homes, and his own son, Archie, to promote the real estate sales.

The Interstate School at Cedar Rapids continued to be successful, however, and the Hoff family enjoyed great prosperity until Will's death on Nov. 10, 1914.

Flora's mother lived with them for about ten years, and the Hoff home was the scene of many pleasant visits by other members of the family. It was Aunt Flo who took young Ward Waitley, son of Ed, to California for his asthma. Young Doug Waitley, another son of Ed, looked forward each year to the train ride from Ames to Cedar Rapids when he escorted his frail grandmother back to the Hoff home after she visited them at Ames.

Will Hoff died of apoplexy, according to the death records of Linn County. He left no will, and Flora R. Hoff was made administrator of his estate by the District Probate Court. She was 58 years old at the time and he was not quite 60 when he died suddenly. Heavy expenses and poor management by the partner left the Hoff family without resources.

Flora Waitley Hoff
La Grange, Ind., 1877

Will L. Hoff
Husband of Flora

Eva Angeline Waitley Spaulding
and Dr. Llewelyn Quint Spaulding
Dunlap, Iowa, 1887

Ida May Waitley (Nurse)
Dunlap, Iowa, 1893

Will Hoff was born July 11, 1854. His parents were George and Mary Berg Hoff. He was buried at Oak Hill Cemetery, Cedar Rapids.

After his death Flora Hoff, her mother, and two of her sons continued to live in the old home for about a year. Her mother died August 22, 1915, and was buried at Oak Hill Cemetery.

Aunt Flo became an unhappy and pathetic figure. She lived in Chicago with her son Ira for the last twelve years of her life, and died there March 15, 1935, two weeks after the death of Ira.

CHILDREN:

8. Archie C. Hoff, born 1877, died 1938
   married Harriet ——
9. Ira G. Hoff, born 1883, died 1935
10. Howard C. Hoff, born 1889
    married Addie ——

4. EDWIN BURTON WAITLEY

1859 — 1932

Descent: 2. Corydon H. Waitley, Rosalie MacKenzie — 1. John S. Waitley, Lydia Bartlett

EDWIN BURTON WAITLEY, son of Corydon H. and Rosalie MacKenzie Waitley, was born December 12, 1859, at Mount Vernon, Ohio. When he was three or four years old his parents moved to Indiana, where his father ran a farm and later managed a saw mill. When he was about nineteen years old the family moved to Iowa and bought farm property. He assisted his father in running the farms until his father's death in 1898.

He married Mary Lavina (Vine) Roberts on December 12, 1882, at Dunlap, Iowa. She was the daughter of Moses and Matilda A. Roberts of Dunlap. Moses was born in 1822 and Matilda was born in 1820. Both died in 1895 and are buried in the cemetery at Dunlap. Mary Lavina Roberts was born September 10, 1862, at Low Moor, Iowa. Her family lived in Council Bluffs, Iowa, from 1867 to 1869, when they moved to Dunlap. Moses Roberts was a master mechanic for the Northwestern Railroad at Missouri Valley and Dunlap. He had two brothers, Jonathan and David Roberts, who lived in Ohio. Vine Roberts had a brother, Will, and a sister, Margaret, who married Ash VanScoy and lived for many years at Logan, Iowa, later moving to Omaha, Nebr. Mary Lavina was affectionately known as "Vine", and her sister was loved by the children as "Aunt Mag". The Van Scoys had three children, Verne, Vere and Clair. Verne Van Scoy settled in Atlantic, Iowa, and was visited many times by his cousin, Edwin, and all the family. Verne Van Scoy and his wife, Jessie, have four children: Roderick, Margaret, Willis and LaVerne, all of whom are married.

Edwin B. Waitley was one of the first progressive farmers and planters to recognize the value of supplemental feeding for live stock. In about 1900 he leased the Roman's farm, a mile or so outside of Dunlap and the family lived there for about ten years. This farm had about 300 acres. They raised corn, oats, and hay, and had cattle and pigs.

The family was active in the Methodist church of Dunlap and Edwin was one of the first members of the Odd Fellows Lodge there, an organization he enjoyed throughout his lifetime. In addition to his farm work he became interested in photography and established a photographer's studio in town. This was probably due to the influence of Will L. Hoff, husband of his sister Flora, who was a photographer at that time.

Will L. Hoff was also responsible for the next move of the family. He organized a business college in Cedar Rapids, calling it the Interstate School of Commerce. He offered Edwin the office of business manager of a branch he established for the school in Harlan, Iowa. Ed, Vine and their family moved to Harlan in 1909. The school prospered for several years and a project was developed to build homes around it. The town was not large enough to support such an enterprise and it was given up in 1912.

The family moved to Ames, Iowa, and Ed became one of the first Iowa salesmen for the Standard Stock Food Co. of Minneapolis and later worked for the International Stock Food Company. They lived in the 800 block on Clark Avenue for many years. By this time Ward and Neil were married and Francele and Douglas were entering eighth grade.

Ed became the top salesman of the company in 1914 and was awarded a beautiful watch by Mr. E. B. Savage, president of the International Stock Food Company. The back of the watch was engraved with a picture of Dan Patch, famous harness race horse, and was a cherished possession of Edwin all the rest of his life.

He resigned in about 1915 to become associated with the Nebraska-Iowa Steel Company, a subsidiary of U.S. Steel, and sold farm equipment, traveling several days each week. He drove a Model T Ford over unpaved roads for thousands of miles.

The family lived in Ames until Vine Waitley died in 1916 after a long illness. After this the family home was broken up and the children scattered. Ed continued his business, but moved to Council Bluffs, Iowa, and made his home with the Ed Bronson family there. He retired from the company in 1925 because of poor health and moved to Evanston, Illinois, where he lived with his son, Douglas. He took up the study of oil painting during his years of retirement, under the tutelage of Elbert G. Drew, father of Douglas' wife.

He made a trip back to Dunlap each year to visit the graves of his beloved wife and other relatives. He stayed with Will and Gertrude Davis. Will Davis' mother was the sister of the mother of Vine Roberts Waitley, so there was a feeling of kinship between the families.

Ed was a lovable person, welcomed wherever he went. He was of medium build, with a ready smile and kind word. He died at a nursing home in Chicago in August, 1932, after a few months' illness. Funeral services were held at the Methodist Church in Dunlap on August 13, 1932. The Will Davis family made all arrangements in advance, and the family gathered at their home afterwards. Ida Waitley Nurse and her daughter, Rosalie, came from Decatur, Nebraska, Neil Waitley from Ames, and Douglas and Marian Waitley from Evanston, in addition to many old friends.

CHILDREN:

Vesta Leone, b. Oct. 18, 1883, d. Aug. 17, 1884

Beatrice Margaret, b. May 15, 1885, d. May 15, 1885.

11. Ward Allen, b. May 2, 1886
married Clara Morgan, 1906 +
married Blanche Miller, 1921 +

12. Neil Valentine, b. Feb. 14, 1890, d. Apr. 1, 1956
married Pauline Peck, 1910 +

13. Francele Roberta, b. Dec. 2, 1897
married Fred R. Dildine, 1921

14. Douglas Dale, b. Sept. 14, 1899, d. Apr. 15, 1956
married Marian Drew, 1924 +

5. CHARLES S. WAITLEY

1861 — 1892

CHARLES S. WAITLEY was born Sept. 25, 1861, probably at Noble, Indiana, where his parents, Corydon H. and Rosalie MacKenzie Waitley, made their home after leaving Mount Vernon, Ohio. He was an excellent student and was the only child of this family to attend and graduate from college. He studied law and was beginning the practice of it when he became ill with tuberculosis. After a long illness he died in Dunlap, Iowa, on June 19, 1892, and is buried in the cemetery there.

6. EVA ANGELINE WAITLEY

1865 — 1925

Descent: 2. Corydon H. Waitley — Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley — Lydia Bartlett

EVA ANGELINE WAITLEY was born August 23, 1865, at Noble County, Indiana, daughter of Corydon H. and Rosalie MacKenzie Waitley. She moved to Iowa with her parents in 1878, where her father settled on a farm in Harrison County. She attended schools in Iowa.

She married Dr. Llewelyn Quint Spaulding on June 22, 1887. They lived in Ida Grove, Iowa, until November, 1905, when they moved westward and settled in the state of Washington.

Dr. Spaulding was born Sept. 7, 1860, at Buchanan, Mich., son of Edmund and Eleanor Quint Spaulding. He became a medical doctor in 1886 after completing his studies at the Hahnemann Medical College, Chicago. He practised in Ida Grove for 18 years, but he became ill and his associates advised him to seek an outdoor life. He decided to take up a homestead in the far west.

The Spaulding family, including their son, Leon, aged 13, and daughter, Marie, aged 8, started west in 1905 and stayed in Wenatchee, Wash., until January, 1906. Then they went up the Columbia River by steamboat to Brewster, then on by team and livery into the Okanogan Valley. They filed claim on a homestead of 40 acres in a district called Cherokee Strip in 1906.

The town of Omak, about 3 miles distant, was plotted in 1908. Other towns adjacent to the homestead ranch were Alma, later called Okanogan, and Riverside, both very small villages with the old-fashioned general store, etc.

Conconully was the county seat in pioneer days. It was twenty miles from the ranch. Dr. Spaulding served on the school board for several years, making frequent trips to Conconully by horse and buggy. Later Okanogan became the county seat. The railroad came into the valley in 1912.

Building a home was a real pioneering problem. Wood was procured by cutting and hauling logs from timbered lands twelve or fifteen miles away. Horses were bought from earlier settlers and usually they were range stock, unbroken to harness or saddle.

The land itself proved disappointing. It was supposed to be good because sagebrush and greaswood were so thick and heavy. But it turned out to be very sandy. Apples became the predominant crop, but irrigation was essential. The sandy soil was a detriment to the growth of trees and made it difficult to get water through the ditches.

The government built a reservoir at Conconully, and the Spauldings, under government contract, built a canal delivering water to their ranch. The land was cleared and planted to apple trees. Then came a water shortage, and the work and expense of additional irrigation.

The years passed, some good, some bad. Methods of spraying and packing improved. Apples were packed in shed warehouses just as they came from the trees. At first poison sprays made it necessary for the fruit to be wiped off by hand, using soft gloves, later by home-made machines. Then came washing and packing in a central shed. Present day spray programs with DDT and similar control are easy and effective.

The struggle to survive in those early days was sometimes a grim one. Many orchardists had to give up and turn to other occupations. Dr. Spaulding had gone west for his health, but in addition to the heavy work and grief of the ranch he was often called upon to practice his profession among his neighbors, making calls by horse and buggy, helping pioneer families with babies and health problems.

The Spauldings made many friends. Eva Spaulding recognized the need for some social life for the pioneer women of the community. She organized a club for country women living outside of town and called it the Omak Country Club. She was its first president in 1912. On the silver anniversary of its founding her daughter, Marie Spaulding Gillings, was installed as president.

Eva Spaulding was also an active church worker and was an officer in the Ladies Aid of the First Church, organized in 1906. She visited her mother and sister Flora at Cedar Rapids in 1908 and again in 1914, shortly before her mother's death.

Eva Waitley Spaulding died at her ranch home near Omak in Nov., 1925, and was buried in Okanogan Cemetery.

After the death of his wife Dr. Spaulding's health failed rapidly and he abandoned his orchard and went to live with his daughter and son-in-law,

Marie and Lawrence Gillings, in their ranch home near by. They lived on the orchard tract which had belonged to Capt. Edward Gillings, father of Lawrence. Dr. Spaulding died there in March, 1931, and was buried beside his wife.

CHILDREN:

15. Leon Herbert Spaulding, b. Nov. 19, 1892, d. April, 1948
married Angeline Keyser, 1921 +

16. Marie Eleanor Spaulding, b. Nov. 29, 1897
married Lawrence Gillings, May 31, 1917 +

7. IDA MAY WAITLEY

1869 — 1942

Descent: 2. Corydon H. Waitley — Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley — Lydia Bartlett

IDA MAY WAITLEY was the fifth child of Corydon H. and Rosalie MacKenzie Waitley, born May 10, 1869, in LaGrange County, Indiana. At that time the family lived in the town of Mongo, where her father operated a water powered saw mill. They moved to Crawford County, Iowa, in 1878 and she attended school there.

She married Ernest Edward Nurse in Dunlap, Iowa, on January 31, 1895. He was the son of Henry Knights and Rebecca Devereux Nurse of Norfolk County, England. He was born at Carlton Coville, Suffolk County, in 1863. His father was a farmer.

Ernest Nurse continued to be a farmer when he moved to this country and settled in Iowa. In 1903 Ernest and Ida moved to a farm near Decatur, Nebraska, and lived there until 1936. At that time they retired from active farm work and moved into the town of Decatur.

Ernest Nurse died in May, 1941, at Decatur. Ida Waitley Nurse died in 1942 at Omaha, Nebraska. Both were buried at the cemetery in Decatur.

CHILDREN:

Rosalia Rebecca, born November 15, 1895

17. Weir Cecil Nurse, born July 22, 1897
married first Helen Alexander, 1923 +
married second Katherine Alexander, 1952

Mervin H., born May 15, 1899

Mildred F., born February 15, 1903, died 1910

18. Ernestine B. Nurse, born June 13, 1905
married Raymond James Nolan, 1926 +

CHAPTER FOUR
FOURTH GENERATION

8. ARCH C. HOFF
9. IRA G. HOFF
10. HOWARD C. HOFF

Descent:
3. Flora Waitley
Will L. Hoff
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

8. ARCH C. HOFF was born about 1877, probably at LaGrange, Indiana, where his father was a photographer, later moving to Carroll, Iowa. He went to Iowa schools, then worked for his father promoting the sale of property around the branch of the Interstate School of Commerce established by his father at Harlan, Iowa, from about 1908 to 1912.

When the school failed he moved to California, and at the time of his father's death in 1914 he was living in San Francisco. Later he moved to Los Angeles and became the publisher of a business directory which was highly successful. He died in about 1938, leaving his widow, Harriet, and no children.

9. IRA G. HOFF was born about 1883 in Carroll, Iowa. He had very little education, but was the main support of his mother during the last ten years of her life. He died in Chicago March 1, 1935, just two weeks before the death of his mother. He never married. He and his mother were both cremated at Graceland Cemetery, Chicago.

10. HOWARD C. HOFF was born about 1889 at Carroll, Iowa. He was in poor health most of his life with a heart ailment. He and his wife, Addie, lived on the west side of Chicago, where he worked as a decorator. His present address is unknown to the editor. He had no children.

11. WARD ALLEN WAITLEY

Descent:
4. Edwin B. Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

WARD ALLEN WAITLEY, oldest son of Edwin Burton and Mary Lavina Roberts Waitley, was born at Dunlap, Iowa, on May 2, 1886. He attended schools in Dunlap.

At the age of seventeen, seeking relief from asthma, he went to California with his aunt, Flora Waitley Hoff of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. There he began work

with the Home Telephone Company, in 1903, installing PBX systems in hotels. He made about $50.00 a month. His aunt returned to Iowa after three months and Ward stayed on, improved in health. He changed to the Sunset Telephone Company in 1906. This company was located in Hollywood, little known at that time, and later became the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company.

He married Clara Morgan in April, 1906 at Los Angeles. They lived in an apartment there until 1907, moved to Omaha, Nebraska, for four months with the Nebraska Telephone Company Company, back to Los Angeles for a year, then to Omaha with the Union Pacific Railroad. He was in charge of signals on Sherman Hill, Cheyenne, Wyoming, for a year, and received a salary of $75.00 a month, all in gold pieces. At this time (1909) there was a single track and a tunnel half a mile long on Sherman Hill.

Clara Morgan was born at Monterey, California, on November 22, 1887. Her father was a sea captain and owned a good deal of property in Northern California. After 17 years of litigation very little was left when the estate was finally settled in 1952.

Ward went back to the telephone company at Norfolk, Nebr., then was located at Ames. Iowa from 1912 to 1916. His parents had moved to Ames in the spring of 1912.

He went to Cheyenne, Wyoming, with the Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Company in 1916, and lived there until 1928. He and Clara Morgan Waitley separated and Clara and their son, Edwin, went back to California in 1918. Ward obtained a divorce in Cheyenne in November, 1920. Clara married a man named Burke and is now a widow living in San Diego (1952).

Ward married Blanche Miller on April 9, 1921, at Greeley, Colo. Blanche Miller was born on March 5, 1896, at Strang, Nebr. Her father, James Miller, was born there on Jan. 29, 1872. Her mother, Lucy Jane Piersol Miller, was born March 8, 1872, in Iowa. There were 5 boys and 3 girls in this family, and all but one are still living (1953). James Miller was a farmer in Strang, Nebraska until April, 1913, when he moved his family to homestead land in Wyoming. Lucy Piersol Miller was a descendant of William Peirsol, who was married to Grace Cope in Pennsylvania. The Copes have a huge genealogical and historical research organization in Pennsylvania called the Gilbert Cope Foundation. The Piersols at that time spelled their name Pearsall and Pierceall. William was a Private in the Revolutionary Army. Through him Blanche Miller Waitley became a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution, papers signed October 2, 1937, at Rock Springs, Wyo. She later helped organize the Children of the American Revolution there.

Ward received advances with the Telephone Company and in 1928 was named Wire Chief at Rock Springs, an important office handling coast to coast radio networks in addition to the regular lines.

Their family consisted of their daughter, Marijane, born in 1921, and a foster-child, Shirley Ann, whom they took into their home in 1932, when she was 16 months old. Her mother had died when she was 9 months old. She was born Dec. 24, 1931, at Linwood, Utah, daughter of Thomas Quiring. With the consent of her father she was raised by the Waitleys and used their name during her school days. Her father and two brothers, Harold and Bruce, moved to McFarland, Calif., in 1933. Shirley attended schools in Rock Springs and Cheyenne,

graduating from Cheyenne High School in 1949. She attended Kendall College at Evanston, Illinois, for two years, then went into nurses' training at Evanston Hospital in 1951. She married Robert L. Chen, a student at the Northwestern Technological Institute, March 20, 1953.

The family lived in Rock Springs until 1942. Ward requested a transfer back to Cheyenne because of the high altitude. There he became Wire Chief at Fort Warren during World War II, then, in 1946, he was placed in charge of special equipment at the Mountain States Tel. and Tel. Co., in Cheyenne. He retired in 1951 after 41 years and 4 months of continuous service with the company.

Since his retirement he has traveled a great deal and has spent winters in California and other times in Evanston and Glenview, Illinois.

Several interests outside of business have kept him young and active. He often assists the coaches at high school football games, has influenced players to attend Northwestern University, and has become a personal friend of Northwestern coaches on his frequent visits there, especially Lynn Waldorf, Arthur (Dutch) Lonborg, and Rut Walter.

In the Masonic Order he has received high honors and distinction. He entered the lodge at Cheyenne in 1920 and advanced from the 4th to the 32nd degree in 1921. He became Master of the Lodge at Cheyenne in 1929.

He was invested with the honorary degree, Knight Commander of the Court of Honor, in 1951, nationally recognized as one of the leaders in his state. This degree ranks above the 32nd and can be received by national selection only. He was also elected Grand Librarian of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Wyoming in 1951, and has charge of the Library in the Masonic Temple at Cheyenne.

He is quiet and reserved, loved and admired by his family and friends.

His home address is 3814 House Ave., Cheyenne, Wyo. (1953)

CHILDREN:

19. Edwin Burton, II, born Dec. 13, 1906, at Los Angeles, Calif.
married Irene Ostrander, Jan. 1, 1929, at Yuma, Ariz. +

20. Marijane, born Dec. 27, 1921, at Cheyenne, Wyo.
married Frank E. Bauder, Nov. 6, 1943, at Cheyenne, Wyo. +

12. NEIL VALENTINE WAITLEY

Descent:
4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

NEIL VALENTINE WAITLEY was born Feb. 14, 1890, at Dunlap, Iowa, second son of Edwin Burton and Mary Lavina Roberts Waitley. He attended schools in Dunlap, graduated from high school there in 1908. The family moved to Harlan, Iowa, at about that time and he took a business course at the Interstate School of Commerce, where his father was associated with Will Hoff in promoting this college.

He married Pauline Peck on October 4, 1910, at Omaha, Nebr. She was born Sept. 19, 1889, at Indianola, Iowa, daughter of Charles Clarence and Phoebe Jane

Coventry Peck. Her father, who was a stock farmer, died in 1892 at Des Moines. Her mother married William Lawrence Marshall there in about 1900. He was a ticket agent for the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad. He was a fine man, had three sons of his own, and treated Pauline and her sister, Lucile, as if they belonged to him, too. They lived in Ames, Ogden, Harlan, Manning and Gilbert, Iowa, over a period of many years. They lived in Harlan from about 1903 to 1912. Pauline attended schools at Ogden and Harlan, graduating from high school there in 1905. She studied bookkeeping and then worked for the Farmer's Mutual and Bell Telephone Co. at Harlan.

After their marriage Neil worked for Mr. Marshall for a year or two and Pauline continued with her job. Later Neil did decorating and painting on the houses which were being built around the Interstate School by Will Hoff and his son, Arch. They moved to Ames in 1912, where Neil worked as a painter and decorator.

Neil enlisted in the Army in 1917, became a cook, and served in France until 1919. During this time Pauline and the two children lived with the Marshalls in Gilbert, Iowa, and she worked at the telephone company there.

After World War I they stayed in Gilbert and Neil worked for Mr. Marshall for several years, then they moved back to Ames, built a home, later moved to Red Oak, and then back to Ames, where their children attended school.

Neil was the tallest of the children of Edwin Waitley, over six feet, a fine looking big man with a pleasing personality, but he was not a steady provider and the family underwent many hardships during the 1930's.

The family home broke up in 1937. Neil moved to California, Maxine was already with her uncle in Evanston, Illinois, Corydon went out on his own, and Pauline lived for a time with her sister, Lucile, married to William Ervin (Jack) Caldwell in Racine, Wisconsin. Later Pauline and her children had an apartment in Evanston for a year.

During World War II Pauline lived in Chicago with Mr. and Mrs. Al Neimann and took care of Diane and Ursula Woolf, English twins about 8 years old, who were sent to this country for safety from the bombs being showered on England. She lived there from 1942 to 1948, remaining about a year after the twins went back to London.

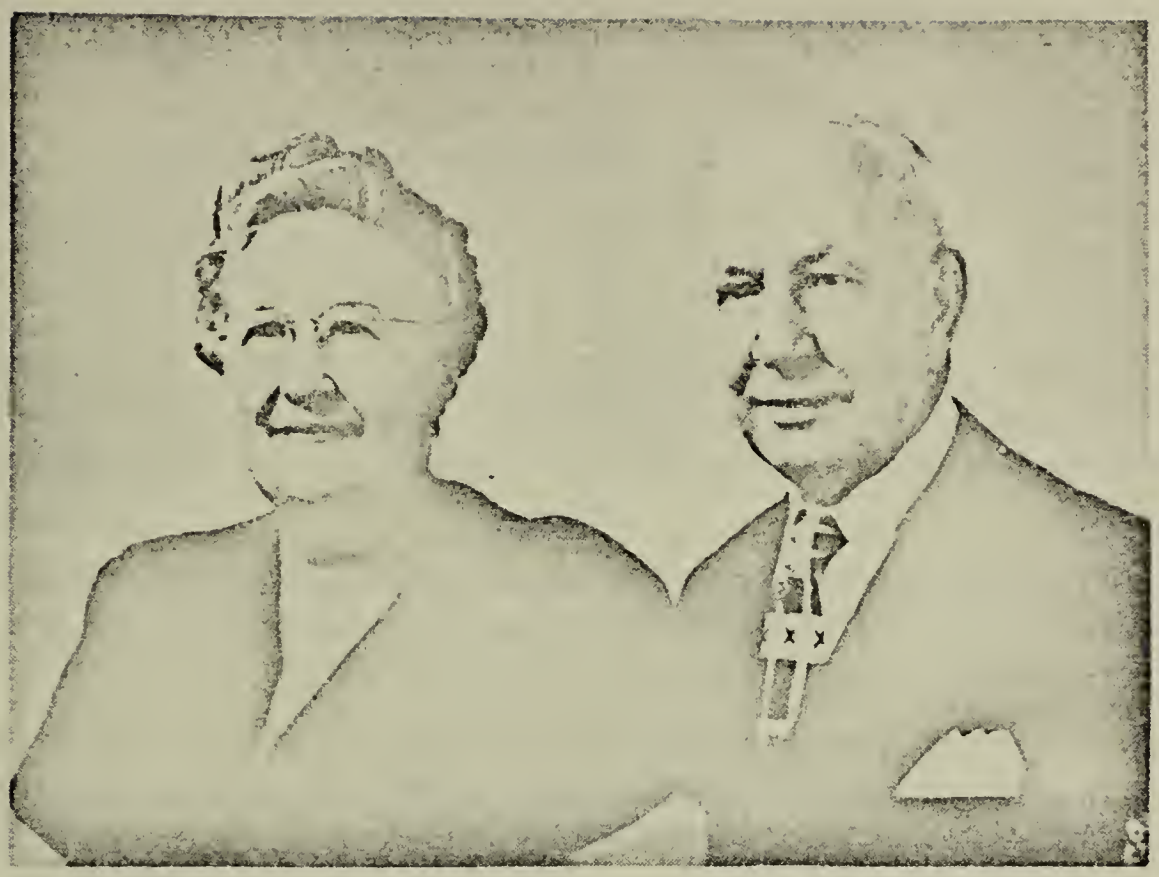
Pauline spent many months in Buffalo during the illness and death of her sister in 1951. She spends most of her time with her daughter and son-in-law, Maxine and Captain Thomas F. Howe.

Neil did maintenance work in a large apartment building and lived at 409 4/5 Loma Dr., Los Angeles, Calif. He died there April 1, 1956.

CHILDREN:

21. Maxine Lucile, born Nov. 8, 1913, at Ames, Iowa.
married Thomas Francis Howe, May 24, 1941 +

22. Corydon Milton, born Aug. 8, 1915, at Ames, Iowa.
married———



Ward Allen Waitley
and Blanche Miller Waitley
Cheyenne, Wyo., 1952

Dr. Douglas Dale Waitley
Evanston, Ill., 1937

Marian Drew Waitley, his wife
Evanston, Ill., 1935

13. FRANCELE ROBERTA WAITLEY

Descent:
4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

FRANCELE ROBERTA WAITLEY, daughter of Edwin Burton and Mary Lavina Roberts Waitley, was born December 2, 1897, at Dunlap, Iowa. She attended schools there and at Harlan, and at Ames, where she graduated from high school in 1917.

She entered the Kirksville College of Osteopathy at Kirksville, Missouri, soon after that and became a Doctor of Osteopathy upon her graduation there in 1921.

She went to Cheyenne, Wyoming, to live with her brother Ward. There she became assistant to Dr. Furry, Osteopathic Physician, and remained with him for several years. Her health was not good and she did not undertake a practice of her own.

She married Fred Robert Dildine, Jr., in Cheyenne on December 3, 1921. He was the son of the senior Dildines of Cheyenne. He worked for his father, who owned the Studebaker automobile agency in Cheyenne. In 1927 he was the top Studebaker salesman in the entire state.

Francele and Fred moved to Los Angeles in 1928. It proved to be an unhappy move, as Fred was just getting started in business when the depression of the early '30s hit the country. They had many years of difficulties and unhappiness.

Francele started working in the Library of the Los Angeles Examiner in 1945 and has held a fine position there ever since. She obtained a divorce in May, 1949. She now lives at 634½ N. Windsor Blvd., Los Angeles, California (1956).

She had a daughter, Barbara Jean, born Nov. 12, 1922, in Cheyenne, but the child lived only a few days.

Francele has overcome her many disappointments and is a charming, resourceful and successful woman, loved and admired by family and friends.

14. DR. DOUGLAS DALE WAITLEY

Descent:
4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

DOUGLAS DALE WAITLEY, youngest child of Edwin Burton and Mary Lavina Roberts Waitley, was born September 14, 1899, in the big white family home in Dunlap, Iowa. He attended school there, also at Harlan and Ames. The family moved to Ames in the spring of 1912. He was about to graduate from Ames High School when the United States entered World War I, in April, 1917.

He was asked by Major Edwin B. Bush, family physician, to aid him in organizing a medical corps unit among high school seniors and Iowa State College students. He left school to do this and to enlist. He received his diploma in absentia. He had been a member of the Iowa National Guard, Company I, from 1913 to 1916.

The medical corps unit was composed of 32 men and was attached to the 126th Field Artillery. They received their training in Texas and New Mexico, and were sent to France early in 1918. Pfc. Waitley had many unusual experiences. His transport ship was in a collision in the Irish Sea in a heavy fog and hundreds of men lost their lives before even reaching the battlegrounds. His unit was one of very few, however, which returned after the war without the loss of a single man. Pfc. Waitley received his honorable discharge in January, 1919, when they returned to the United States.

His mother had died in 1916 and his father was traveling a great deal, so he spent several months in Cheyenne with his brother Ward. He received a scholarship and entered Northwestern University in the fall of 1919. At Northwestern he was a class officer, manager of the Glee Club, and a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity.

He entered the Chicago College of Osteopathy in March, 1922, and by attending four straight summer schools was able to graduate in June, 1925, with the D.O. degree (Doctor of Osteopathy). He received financial help by a loan from Mr. Wade Fetzer, president of the W. A. Alexander Insurance Company, Chicago. He also worked at several jobs and was a successful clothing representative on the campus for Rexford and Kelder, custom tailors, Chicago.

He married Marian Drew at Evanston, Illinois, on May 29, 1924. She was the daughter of Elbert Granville and Harriet Stebbins Drew and was born in Chicago February 1, 1902. Her father was Secretary and Assistant Treasurer of the Illinois Bell Telephone Company at this time, and an amateur artist of outstanding ability. He founded the Business Men's Art Club of Chicago and the Associated Art Clubs of America, and was the first president of both. The Drew home was at 824 Milburn Street, Evanston.

The ancestry of Marian Drew Waitley on both the Drew and Stebbins side has been traced back to the sixteenth century. She is a ninth generation descendant of Rowland Stebbins, who was born in 1594 in the parish of Stebbing, Essex, County, England, and came to New England in 1634. Her grandfather, Solomon Johnson Stebbins, moved to Chicago and became a hardware merchant, establishing the Stebbins Hardware Company in 1860. She is also a ninth generation descendant of William Drew, who was born in Devonshire, England, and appears on the tax list of Dover, N.H., in 1648. The old Drew Garrison built about 1675 as a protection against the Indians has been preserved as a colonial exhibit at the Woodman Institute at Dover. Her grandfather, Prentiss Warner Drew, was Superintendent of Telegraph for the Soo Line Railroad, and was national Secretary of the Association of Railway Telegraph Superintendents for thirty years.

Marian inherited an interest in organizations and in art. She was national president of the Auxiliary to the American Osteopathic Association in 1949-50, and was elected president of the Drama Club of Evanston for a two year term in 1956. She studied art and has done some landscapes in oil which have been exhibited at the Art Center and the Woman's Club in Evanston.

Francele Roberta Waitley Dildine
and Ward Allen Waitley, her brother
Glenview, Ill., 1949

Leon Herbert Spaulding
Angeline Keyser Spaulding, his wife
Helen Marie Spaulding, his daughter
Mt. Rainier, Wash., 1937

Edwin Burton Waitley, II
Irene Ostrander Waitley, his wife
Diane Beverly Waitley, his daughter
Denis Edwin Waitley, his son
Damon Reynolds Waitley, his son
San Diego, Calif., 1952

Dr. Douglas Dale Waitley first opened his office at 1718 Sherman Avenue, Evanston, on June 9, 1925, after passing the State Board examinations with excellent standing. He moved to 1618 Orrington Avenue in 1929, and remained there until 1954. In May, 1954, he became the first tenant in the beautiful new First National Bank Building on Fountain Square, Evanston.

He early became active in civic and professional organizations. He has lectured on osteopathic subjects in several states and has written many articles for osteopathic publications. His special professional interest was in the autonomic nervous system. He also was interested in athletics and has successfully treated many athletic injuries. He served as president of the North Shore Osteopathic Scoiety, was a trustee of the Illinois Osteopathic Association and was on the membership committee of the American Osteopathic Association. He was an associate staff member of the Chicago Osteopathic Hospital and taught at the Chicago College of Osteopathy for several years.

His hobby was fishing. He took an annual fishing trip northward or westward in August, and also spent several weeks in Florida each winter. He received a license to practice in Florida in 1939.

He was a member of the Kiwanis Club of Evanston and was its president in 1937. He became a Mason in 1930 and was a member of the Elks Club from 1935 to 1951. He was also a member of the American Legion, Phi Kappa Psi Alumni, Theta Psi professional fraternity, Northminster Presbyterian Church, and Westmoreland Country Club. He was a staunch Republican.

He is listed in "Who's Who in Chicago and Illinois" beginning with the Eighth Edition, 1945. He died of a heart attack April 15, 1956, in Evanston.

CHILDREN, all born at Evanston, Illinois:

23. Douglas Dale, born Nov. 28, 1927
24. Drew Edwin, born April 26, 1930
25. Alan Stebbins, born July 31, 1936

15. LEON HERBURT SPAULDING

Descent: 6. Eva Angeline Waitley
Dr. Llewelyn Q. Spaulding

2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie

1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

LEON HERBERT SPAULDING was born November 19, 1892, at Ida Grove, Iowa, where his father practised medicine. He attended school there, but when he was 13 years old his parents decided to move west. The family settled in the Okanogan Valley, Washington, filed a homestead claim on 40 acres of land which they turned into an apple orchard.

He attended high school in the village of Omak, Wash., and graduated there in 1913. He was actually ready for high school when his family arrived in Washington, but there was no high school in the area until 1909, a year after the town of Omak was incorporated. His parents sent him to school in Wenatchee, but he was too lonely there and returned home after a brief trial. He helped his father clear the land and build a home.

He attended the Washington State College at Pullman for a year and a half, studying engineering. He left school to enlist in the U.S. Army Engineers in 1917. He served with the 20th Engineers and was in France for over a year. He was in the service for 19 months.

After his discharge in 1918 he went to work for the Continental Pipe Company of Seattle, in the engineering department. Later he went with the Federal Pipe and Tank Company as Chief Engineer. He became a member of the firm and was a vice-president and director of it until his death in 1948.

He was a man of great imagination and idealism. He had a keen mind and a glowing personality. Without a great deal of technical education he observed and studied so successfully that he reached a high level in the field of engineering and was respected and consulted on engineering problems in his state and in Washington, D.C.

He married Angeline Keyser in August, 1921, at Kettle Falls, Wash. They lived in Seattle. He died after a brief illness in April, 1948, and was buried at Acacia Cemetery, Seattle.

CHILDREN:

26. Helen Marie Spaulding, born June 26, 1922
married William Emmett Whitney, Aug. 22, 1943 +

16. MARIE ELEANOR SPAULDING

Descent:
6. Eva Angeline Waitley
Dr. Llewelyn Q. Spaulding
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

MARIE ELEANOR SPAULDING was born November 29, 1897, at Ida Grove, Iowa, daughter of Dr. Llewelyn Q. and Eva Waitley Spaulding.

When she was eight years old the family moved to the state of Washington and established a homestead and apple ranch there in the Okanogan River valley. They lived through many hardships and disappointments as pioneers until at last irrigation and higher prices brought them worth while returns and an easier life.

Marie attended school in the village of Omak and after graduating from high school there she taught school for a few years.

She married Lawrence Gillings at Omak on May 31, 1917. He was the son of Edward and Mary Gillings, born on October 10, 1895, at Robin Hood's Bay on the northeast coast of England on the North Sea. Edward Gillings was an English sea captain and during one of his voyages he tasted the huge and delicious fruit of Washington. He determined then and there to find the place where such fruit could be raised. He retired from the sea and took his son Lawrence with him in 1911 when he came to Washington and settled near Omak. Mary Gillings and their three daughters came a year later. Mary Gillings is now 84 years old (1952) and lives with her daughter Bertha (Mrs. Sam Wisic) in Seattle.

Capt. Edward Gillings died in 1929 and Lawrence and Marie took over the Gillings orchard of about 15 acres. In 1932 they bought 14 acres about a mile

away and ran both places. After Marie's mother died in 1925 her father lived with them until his death six years later. The Spaulding orchard was given up because of irrigation difficulties.

As the Gillings' sons grew up, Robert took over more and more of the work of the orchard. In 1944 Marie and Lawrence moved into the town of Omak. Marie was active in church work and in the Omak Country Club founded by her mother. She was president of it in 1937, the twenty-fifth anniversary of its founding.

After the crop of 1945 they retired from active orchard work. They travel a great deal and bought a home at 11013 Forest Avenue, Seattle. (1952)

Marie and Lawrence worked very hard to make their orchard a success. They are the salt of the earth, staunch and philosophical.

CHILDREN:

27. Robert Edward Gillings, born May 27, 1918
married Elsie Fuhrman, Sept. 26, 1941 +

28. Richard Leon Gillings, born Jan. 29, 1924
married Gladys Jett, June 19,1948 +

17. WEIR CECIL NURSE

Descent: 7. Ida May Waitley — 2. Corydon H. Waitley
Ernest Edward Nurse — Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

WEIR CECIL NURSE was born on a farm near Dunlap, Iowa, on July 22, 1897. The family moved to Decatur, Nebraska in 1903. He had started to school in Dunlap and then continued his schooling in Decatur. After graduating from high school he attended Coe College in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and also attended the University of West Virginia at Morgantown, W. Va.

He worked as a draftsman for short periods for Union Pacific Railroad, A. P. Cooper Consulting Engineers and Graham, Anderson, Probst and White, architects. In 1918 he started with the Western Union Telegraph Company and has continued with that company ever since. He was first located in Omaha, was transferred to Dallas, Texas, in 1940, and to St. Louis, Missouri, in 1949.

At present (1955) he is Area Installation Supervisor for the company, covering the states of Missouri and Illinois, with headquarters in St. Louis.

He was married on September 23, 1923, to Helen Elizabeth Alexander. She was born February 27, 1898, at Omaha, Nebraska, daughter of Ernest L. and Margaret Dutcher Alexander. She died August 22, 1950, in St. Louis and was buried in Dallas, Texas.

He was married on November 28, 1952, to Katherine Alexander at Fort Worth, Texas. She was born October 2, 1902, at Atlantic, Iowa, daughter of Frederick M. and Kate Downs Alexander. She was a cousin of Helen Alexander Nurse.

Weir joined the Masonic Lodge in 1921. He is a Deacon in the local Congregational Church. Their present home (1955) is at 8520 Joseph Avenue, Brentwood, Missouri.

Child of Weir Cecil and Helen Alexander Nurse:

29. Alexander Rodney Nurse, born March 14, 1928, at Omaha
married Catherine Ann Hudson, 1955

18. ERNESTINE BEATRICE NURSE

Descent:

7. Ida May Nurse
Ernest Edward Nurse

2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie

1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

ERNESTINE BEATRICE NURSE was born June 13, 1905, at Decatur, Nebraska. She is called Bea by her family and friends. She attended the University of Nebraska at Lincoln, Nebraska, for a year, then took a job in Omaha.

She married Raymond James Nolan May 17, 1926, at Omaha. They lived for a while in Columbus, Ohio, Minneapolis, Minnesota, in 1928, Portland, Oregon, in 1929, Los Angeles, California, in 1931. They built a home in Alhambra, California, in 1936 and still live there.

Ray Nolan was born in Albany, N.Y., July 24, 1900. His parents were Mr. and Mrs. Richard James Nolan. His mother died a few years after he was born. He attended high school in Albany, then went into business. He has been connected with the White Sewing Machine Company ever since, first in Saginaw, Michigan, then St. Louis, then Omaha, where he met Bea Nurse.

In California he is the manager of all concessions for the White Sewing Machine Company in Southern California, most of which are in a chain of department stores known as Broadway of Southern California.

Bea Nurse Nolan went into the Catholic Church after her marriage and was baptized at the same time as her son Richard.

The Nolan home is at 801 N. Curtis, Alhambra, Calif. (1955)

CHILDREN:

30. Richard James Nolan II, born April 4, 1929, at Minneapolis
married Mary Jo Crean, Apr. 11, 1953 +

31. Dorothy Ann Nolan, born August 3, 1934, at Alhambra

32. Timothy Raymond Nolan, born March 3, 1944, at Alhambra.

CHAPTER FIVE
FIFTH GENERATION

19. EDWIN BURTON WAITLEY, II

Descent:
11. Ward Allen Waitley — Clara Morgan
2. Corydon H. Waitley — Rosalie MacKenzie
4. Edwin Burton Waitley — Mary Lavina Roberts
1. John S. Waitley — Lydia Bartlett

EDWIN BURTON WAITLEY, II, was born December 13, 1906, in Los Angeles, son of Ward Allen and Clara Morgan Waitley. He attended schools in Los Angeles, except for a brief period in 1913-1916 when his parents lived in Ames, Iowa.

He entered the University of Southern California in 1924 studying languages and the diplomatic course. Financial problems caused him to leave college before graduating.

He married Irene Ostrander at Yuma, Arizona, on January 1, 1929. She was born June 25, 1909, in New York City. Her mother was born in England. The Ostrander family lived for a short time in Chicago and in Indiana, before moving to San Diego in 1921.

Edwin went to work for the Auto Club of Southern California early in 1929, and has been with the auto industry ever since, except for three years during World War II.

He entered the U.S. Maritime Service in 1942 and traveled about one hundred thousand miles on an oil tanker, "The Smokey Hill". Most of this time they were in the Pacific war area supplying ships and bases with oil.

He returned to civilian life in 1946 and is now Public Relations Manager at the Robert D. Maxwell Buick Company of San Diego. (1952) His home is at 1222 Law St., San Diego.

CHILDREN all born at San Diego:

33. Diane Beverly, born July 28, 1930
34. Denis Edwin, born June 6, 1933
35. Damon Reynolds, born May 21, 1940

20. MARIJANE WAITLEY

Descent:

11. Ward Allen Waitley
Blanche Miller

2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie

4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts

1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

MARIJANE WAITLEY, daughter of Ward Allen and Blanche Miller Waitley, was born December 27, 1921, at Cheyenne, Wyo. She attended schools there and in Rock Springs, Wyo. She also attended school in Los Angeles, California, where she spent the winters of 1933 and 1934 with her mother and her aunt Francele.

She graduated from Rock Springs High School in 1939. She attended the University of Wyoming for two years, where she was a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority and the first girl cheer leader the University of Wyoming ever had.

She was a charter member of the Sweetwater Society of the Children of the American Revolution, and was its first president in 1938. She went to Washington, D.C., as a page to the National Convention of the D.A.R. in 1939.

She married Frank Edward Bauder, Captain, U.S. Army, at Cheyenne on Nov. 6, 1943. His parents were Edward Emmett Bauder and Alma Bakeman Bauder, and he was born August 30, 1920, at West Union, Iowa. Mr. Bauder owned 380 acres of farm land there and specialized in the breeding of Poland China hogs. He was manager of the County Fair for many years and it became one of the finest fairs in the nation. He sold the farm in 1944 and built a house in town. Mr. Bauder died of a heart attack in 1953. Mrs. Bauder still lives in the West Union house. (1956)

Frank Bauder graduated from Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, in 1941, with a B.A. degree, Summa Cum Laude. He was on the debating team which twice won the Midwest Conference title and placed fourth in the national debating contest. He was a member of Beta Theta Pi, Pi Kappa Delta, speech honorary, Phi Kappa Phi, junior scholastic honorary, and Phi Beta Kappa. He won a four year scholarship to the Columbia University Law School, but was unable to use it on account of World War II.

He entered the Army immediately after graduation as a 2nd Lieutenant. He served from 1941 to 1946, and was attached to the 6th Engineer Combat Brigade in the European theater of war from Jan. 1944 to Dec. 1945. He became a 1st Lieutenant in October, 1942, a Captain in April, 1943, a Major in January, 1945, and a Lt. Colonel in the Reserve in December, 1948.

He received his honorable discharge on May 15, 1946, and joined the Illinois National Guard in July, 1946. He was Battalion Commander for 2½ years and Assistant Chief of Staff G4 of the 33rd Infantry Division for 1½ years. He transferred to the inactive National Guard in March, 1951.

Marijane lived in Cheyenne with her parents most of the time while he was out of the country. She worked in the legal department of OPA (Office of Price Administration) for a year, in 1944, and at a gift shop at Yosemite National Park, Calif., during 1945.

Marijane Waitley Bauder
and Frank Edward Bauder, her husband
Cheyenne, Wyo., 1943

Helen Spaulding Whitney
and William Emmett Whitney
Seattle, Washington, 1943

Maxine Waitley Howe
Brooklyn, N.Y., 1956

Thomas Francis Howe,
Norfolk, Virginia, 1951

After his return in January, 1946, the Bauders settled in Chicago, where he became affiliated with the Continental Illinois Bank. In 1949 he was made an Assistant Cashier, and in 1952, he became a Second Vice-President.

They started building a home in Glenview, Ill., in Nov. 1948 and moved into it in July, 1949. In 1951 they added a large living room and garage. They did a major portion of the work themselves, and it is a beautiful ranch type house.

They are active in school affairs in Glenview and members of the Glenview Community Church. Marijane has transferred her D.A.R. membership from the Rock Springs Chapter to the Fort Dearborn Chapter in Evanston, Ill.

In Chicago Frank Bauder is a member of the Executives Club, the Economics Clubs, the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Union League Club.

Their home address is 2118 Linneman Ave., Glenview, Ill.

CHILDREN:
36. Barbara Jane Bauder, born Oct. 27, 1946 at Evanston.
37. Elizabeth Ann Bauder, born Feb. 11, 1949 at Evanston

21. MAXINE LUCILE WAITLEY

Descent:

12. Neil Valentine Waitley
Pauline Peck

4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts

2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie

1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

MAXINE LUCILE WAITLEY was born Nov. 8, 1913, at Ames, Iowa, daughter of Neil Valentine and Pauline Peck Waitley. She attended schools there and graduated from the Ames High School in 1932.

She went to Evanston, Illinois, in 1932 and lived with her uncle, Douglas Dale Waitley, until 1938. There she worked at Lytton's Men's Store, and contributed to the support of her family in Ames.

She married Thomas Francis Howe, Jr., at Coronado, Calif., on May 24, 1941. He was born May 11, 1914, in Chicago, son of Thomas Francis and Anna Barbara Koslow How. His father, son of Henry Howe, came from Canada, and his mother was born in Chicago of Polish-German parents. He graduated from Northwestern University with a B.S. degree in 1935, received a J.D. degree in 1938 from the Northwestern Law School, passed the Illinois bar and practiced law from 1938-1940 with his father's firm, Howe, Rademacher & Kramer, Chicago. He was a member of Beta Theta Pi at Northwestern.

He received an Ensign's Commission in the Naval Reserve after his graduation in 1935, and his promotion to Lieutenant (junior grade) in 1940. He was called into active service in October, 1940, did administrative work at the Naval Armory, Chicago, and went to sea in January, 1941, as navigator on the U.S.S. Fuller, which was the first ship to carry troops from the west coast through the Panama Canal to Iceland in 1941. At this time we were in a state of undeclared war against Germany.

He transferred to submarine duty and went to the Submarine School at New London, Conn., for four months, and became a full Lieutenant, in the spring of

1942. He went to sea as third officer of a submarine, the Haddo, in the far Pacific war zone. Maxine and their son lived on a ranch in the Sonoma Valley of California during this time, later moving to San Diego while Tom was there, then back to Santa Rosa in the Sonoma Valley until the war ended.

He became a Lt. Commander in the summer of 1943 and was given command of the submarine S 23 in the summer of 1944, and the Sea Poacher in January, 1946. He was made a full Commander in July, 1945. His service during World War II included many dangerous missions in the Pacific area.

He decided to make the Navy his career, and after the war he attended Line School at Newport, Rhode Island, for nine months until June, 1947, and the family lived there during that time. He ranks with the Class of '37 from the Naval Academy. He was assigned to the staff of Admiral W. H. P. Blandy, Commander-in-Chief, Atlantic and U.S. Atlantic Fleet, and was aboard the flagship Pocono. After two years of this duty (1947-49) he had his first Destroyer command, the USS Henley, and in 1950 assumed command of another destroyer-picket, the USS Leary. These two tours of duty were in the Atlantic and Mediterranean areas with the Sixth Fleet. He was relieved in February, 1952, and ordered to the staff of Commander-in-Chief, Caribbean Command, a joint staff of Army, Navy and Air Force, with Headquarters in the Canal Zone, charged with the responsibility of strategic protection of the canal.

Maxine and their son, Thomas, spent four months in the summer of 1951 touring Europe, France, Germany, Switzerland and Italy, and stopping at the various ports where the USS Leary and Commander Howe were assigned.

The family home was at 445 Harvard Ave., Norfolk, Va., from 1947 until 1952, then at Quarry Heights, Canal Zone.

In 1954 he was assigned to Brooklyn and received the rank of Captain in Jan. 1956. Maxine has the disposition to make easy adjustments to the changes required in navy life, and they both make many friends wherever they go.

CHILDREN:

38. Thomas Francis Howe, III, born July 27, 1942, at New London, Conn.

39. Peter Howe, born Aug. 12, 1952, at Ft. Clayton, Canal Zone

22. CORYDON MILTON WAITLEY

Descent:

12. Neil Valentine Waitley
Pauline Peck

4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts

2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie

1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

CORYDON MILTON WAITLEY was born August 8, 1915, at Ames, Iowa, son of Neil Valentine and Pauline Peck Waitley. He attended schools in Ames, but did not finish high school because of financial difficulties at home. He left school in 1932 at the end of his junior year.

He worked at various jobs, but contributed nothing to the family support.

He spent some time with his uncle in Evanston, Illinois, shared an apartment there with his mother and sister for a few months in 1938, visited his aunt, Lucile Caldwell, in Milwaukee, and his father in California.

He enlisted in the army in 1942, during World War II. He was in training at Fort Bragg, North Carolina, but received a medical discharge in 1943 because of a shoulder injury. He returned to Los Angeles, married, and manages an apartment building in Los Angeles.

His wife's name and his present address are unknown. (1952)

23. DOUGLAS DALE WAITLEY, JR.

Descent:

14. Douglas Dale Waitley
Marian Drew

2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie

4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts

1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

DOUGLAS DALE WAITLEY, JR., was born November 28, 1927, at Evanston, Illinois, eldest son of Douglas Dale and Marian Drew Waitley. He attended Haven School and graduated from Evanston Township High School in 1945. There he was a member of the track and wrestling teams and won many medals and school letters.

He entered the Northwestern University Summer School in June, 1945, in order to get a start in college before entering military service. At this time World War II was a its height, but by August, 1945, it had ended.

Doug continued at Northwestern. He became a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity and was on the wrestling team. He won his "N" in wrestling, and received N sweaters and blanket. He graduated in 1949 with a B.S. degree in Business Administration.

He set out by motorcycle in the fall of 1949 and spent several months in Houston, Texas, working in a restaurant and later as a salesman. He wanted eventually to go into the restaurant business.

He returned to Evanston in the spring of 1950 and entered the Northwestern School of Education as a graduate student. After a year of practice teaching he discontinued the study of Education and went into the History department of the Graduate School, working towards a Master's degree.

During this time he built up a small business supplying students with jobs. This proved to be a lucrative field and grew into an employment agency which he called Dales Student Service.

His military service began when he joined the U.S. Naval Reserve Unit in Evanston in 1948. After college graduation he received the rank of Ensign, in Dec. 1949. He was called into active service in September, 1952, just at the end of the Korean War. He took special training at the Supply Corps School at Bayonne, N.J., and was assigned to Rodman Air Base in the Canal Zone as Commissary Officer. He received the rank of Lieutenant, Junior Grade, in October, 1952.

His service in the Canal Zone was uneventful. He was near Quarry Heights, where his cousin Maxine and her husband, Commander Thomas F. Howe, were

living. He had a month's leave in June, 1954, and traveled through Colombia, Equador, Peru and Bolivia. He was realeased from active service in August, 1954.

He returned to his family home in Evanston and renewed his Student Service. He also bought a food jobbing business, called the Pan-American Chocolate Company. His interest in music led him to organize a small band to play for dances. He plays the saxophone and the bass fiddle.

His hobby is the study of history. He speaks Spanish fluently. All his travels are planned far in advance and the interesting history of each place is well known to him. During the winter of 1955-56 he spent three months in the Mediterranean area, traveling in Egypt, Arabia, Lebanon, Syria, Turkey, Greece, Yugoslavia, Italy, France and Spain.

He received his Master of Arts degree in History at Northwestern in 1956, and began work on a Ph. D. degree in the same field.

24. DREW EDWIN WAITLEY

Descent:

14. Douglas Dale Waitley
Marian Drew

4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts

2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie

1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

DREW EDWIN WAITLEY, second son of Dr. Douglas Dale and Marian Drew Waitley, was born April 26, 1930, at Evanston, Illinois. He attended Haven School and graduated from Evanston Township High School in 1948. There he was president of his home room, was chairman of the Budget Committee of the school during his senior year, and was on the baseball team.

He went to Dartmouth College, Hanover, N.H., and became a member of Sigma Nu fraternity. He was president of the Interfraternity Treasurer's Council, Treasurer of the Undergraduate Council, Treasurer of Paleopitus, and Chairman of the College Chest Fund. As a junior he was elected to Dragon, honorary, and as a senior he was one of ten elected to Paleopitus, honorary. He was listed in the 1952 edition of "American College Student Leaders". He won the intramural ice-skating championship at Dartmouth in 1950. He graduated in 1952 with a B.S. degree in the Tuck School of Business Administration.

During the summer of 1952 he traveled for two months in Europe. In October, 1952, he entered a special training program for young college men at the Continental Illinois Bank, Chicago. He soon became associated with one of the loaning groups in the bank.

He was not called into military service because of a slight heart defect.

His hobbies are baseball and golf.

He is a member of the Junior Chamber of Commerce, Chicago, and of the Union League Club, Chicago. He is active in the Dartmouth Alumni Association.

He married Mary Ann Ellinger of Chicago, July 14, 1956.

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25. ALAN STEBBINS WAITLEY

Descent:
14. Douglas Dale Waitley
Marian Drew
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

ALAN STEBBINS WAITLEY was born at Evanston, Illinois, July 31, 1936, son of Dr. Douglas Dale and Marian Drew Waitley. He attended Haven School and graduated from Evanston Township High School in 1954 in the upper tenth of his class.

He was on the track team and won many medals and school letters. He was a member of the Grange club sponsored by the Y.M.C.A. and was an officer in the Youth Fellowship of the Covenant Methodist Church.

He entered Northwestern University and became a member of Phi Delta Theta. He plans to go into the dental profession and to specialize in Orthodontia His favorite sport is track and he won his class numerals the first year. At present (1955) he is beginning his sophomore year.

His middle name was the family name of his mother's mother, Harriet Stebbins Drew.

26. HELEN MARIE SPAULDING

Descent:
15. Leon Herbert Spaulding
Angeline Keyser
6. Eva Angeline Waitley
Llewelyn Q. Spaulding
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

HELEN MARIE SPAULDING was born June 26, 1922 at Yakima, Washington, daughter of Leon Herbert and Angeline Keyser Spaulding. She attended schools in Seattle, graduated from the Roosevelt High School in 1940.

She attended the University of Washington for 1½ years. She became a member of the National Independent group of Phrateres in the sub-chapter of Theta, in which she served as Historian. From 1942-43 she worked for the Army Corps of Engineers in Seattle.

She married William Emmett Whitney at Seattle on August 22, 1943. He was the son of Orrin and Belle Connery Whitney, born November 23, 1918, at Salem, Oregon. He attended schools in Kirkland, Wash., and entered the University of Washington in 1938. He completed four years in the Naval ROTC, was commissioned Ensign in June, 1942, and was immediately ordered to active duty.

He served as a Deck Officer on the Destroyer USS Perkins in the south Pacific war zone until August, 1943.

He was ordered to flight training and stationed at Dallas, Texas, and Pensacola, Florida. He was designated as a Naval Aviator on April 21, 1944. He became a Lieutenant (junior grade) in 1943 and a Lieutenant in 1944. As a Naval Aviator he served as a flight instructor at Beaufort, South Carolina, in PV-1's and 2's.

Douglas Dale Waitley, Jr.
Bayonne, N.J., 1952

Drew Edwin Waitley
Hanover, N.H., 1951

Alan Stebbins Waitley
Evanston, Ill., 1954

Alexander Rodney Nurse
Dallas, Texas, 1947

He was ordered to inactive duty after World War II, in 1945, and returned to Seattle to complete his BA degree at the Uiversity of Washington.

During his years of active service Helen lived at the base when he was in this country and with her parents when he was in the Pacific area. In 1947 they moved to Olympia, Washington where he worked for the State Tax Commission. They moved back to Seattle in 1949 to work for the Johns-Manville Corp. as sales representative in building products.

He was called back into service in July, 1950. During his duty in Japan he made patrol flights in PBM's in the Korean area. He became a Lieutenant Commander in 1951. After seven months active duty there he was ordered to Pensacola and moved there with his family. Beginning in October, 1951 he served as navigation instructor in the Naval School of Pre-Flight.

In Pensacola he joined Toastmasters International and the order of Masons.

He went to Moffat Air field near San Jose, California, as an instructor in 1953.

He resigned from active service in the Navy in 1954 and went into the real estate business. They bought a home at 307 Strand Avenue, Pleasant Hill, California, about 25 miles east of San Francisco. In 1955 Bill became Senior Building Products Salesman for the Johns-Manville Company, covering the San Francisco and San Mateo area.

They are members of the St. Andrews Presbyterian Church of Pleasant Hill. Helen teaches a Sunday School class of first and second graders, and was recently elected Fellowship Chairman of the Women's Association. (1956)

CHILDREN:

40. Michael Buchanan Whitney, born June 15, 1948 at Olympia, Wash.
41. Leon Emmett Whitney, born Sept. 20, 1949, at Seattle, Wash.

27. ROBERT EDWARD GILLINGS

Descent:

16. Marie Eleanor Spaulding
Lawrence Gillings

6. Eva Angeline Waitley
Llewelyn Q. Spaulding

2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie

1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

ROBERT EDWARD GILLINGS was born May 27, 1918, at Omak, Washington. He finished high school in Omak, where he was on the basketball team. He attended business school in Seattle.

His primary interest in the out-of-doors brought him back to the ranch. He loves fishing, hunting and photography.

He married Elsie Fuhrman at Seattle on September 26, 1941, daughter of Ray and Ona Fuhrman, pioneers of the country. She was born May 11, 1921, at Riverside, Washington. She attended schools there and was valedictorian of her high school class.

Robert (Bob) and Elsie took over the management of the Gillings ranch in 1945. They raise choice apples, and recently added a fine pasture and a herd of young Herefords for beef. (1952)

CHILDREN:

42. James Michael Gillings, born Nov. 22, 1943, at Omak, Wash.
43. Sandra Lynne Gillings, born Oct. 26, 1944, at Omak, Wash.

28. DR. RICHARD LEON GILLINGS

Descent:

16. Marie Eleanor Spaulding Lawrence Gillings
    - 6. Eva Angeline Waitley Llewelyn Q. Spaulding
    - 2. Corydon H. Waitley Rosalie MacKenzie
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    - 2. Corydon H. Waitley Rosalie MacKenzie
    - 6. Eva Angeline Waitley Llewelyn Q. Spaulding

RICHARD LEON GILLINGS was born Jan. 29, 1924, at Omak, Washington. He graduated from high school there in 1942, where he was on the debating team and took awards in the State Debating Tournaments.

He enlisted in the U.S. Army Air Force in September, 1943, while a student at Washington State College. He was called into active service on January 28, 1944. As an aviation cadet he was trained at Amarillo, Texas, and in the College Training Detachment, West Texas State College, Canyon, Texas, then at Luke Field, Phoenix, Arizona, and Douglas Field, Douglas, Arizona. He was in the Aviation Cadet Center Replacement Pool at San Antonio in 1945 and received flight training at Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Ala., from July until November, 1945. By this time World War II had ended and he received his honorable discharge Nov. 6, 1945.

He went back to college in January, 1946, and received a B.S. degree at the University of Washington in June, 1948. He entered the School of Medicine there and received his M.D. degree in June, 1952. He took an internship at the Milwaukee County Hospital, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, for a year. In 1953 he became a resident surgeon at the Doctors Hospital, Seattle, and in 1954 he went into general practice at Snohomish, Washington, 35 miles east of Seattle.

He married Gladys Jett, June 19, 1948, at Omak. She was born March 11, 1925, at Fruitland, Wash., daughter of C. M. and Lottie Jett, one of five girls in the family. She received a B.A. in Education at Central Washington College in 1946. She taught for two years each at Puyallup, Wash., and the Shoreline Public Schools near Seattle. In 1946 she was listed in "Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges".

CHILDREN:

44. Leslie Marie Gillings, born Nov. 16, 1949, at Seattle
45. Christine Ann Gillings, born Dec. 14, 1952, at Milwaukee
46. Barbara Jo Gillings, born Feb. 5, 1955, at Snohomish, Wash.

29. ALEXANDER RODNEY NURSE

Descent:
17. Weir Cecil Nurse
Helen Elizabeth Alexander
7. Ida May Waitley
Ernest Edward Nurse
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

ALEXANDER RODNEY NURSE, called Rod by his family and friends, was born March 14, 1928, at Omaha, Nebraska, son of Weir Cecil and Helen Alexander Nurse. He attended public schools there until 1940, when the family moved to Dallas, Texas. He attended public high school in Dallas, where he was a lieutenant in the Junior R.O.T.C. and played in the band.

During his high school term he spent two summers at St. John's Military Academy, Delafield, Wisconsin, where he served as a counselor the second summer.

He graduated from Southern Methodist University at Dallas, Texas, received a graduate scholarship and was awarded a Master's degree in psychology there in 1950.

He enlisted in the U.S. Air Force and served during the Korean War. He was a clinical Psychologist in the school of aviation medicine. He became a First Lieutenant and was honorably discharged in December, 1953, after more than two years of service.

He entered the graduate school of the University of Texas at Austin and is working towards a doctorate in educational psychology, which he hopes to receive in 1956.

He is a member of Alpha Tau Omega social fraternity, Phi Delta Kappa honorary educational fraternity, and Psi Chi honorary psychology fraternity. He is a member of the Am. Psych. Ass'n, and the Texas Psychological Ass'n.

He married Catherine Ann Hudson at Austin, Texas, on August 5, 1955. She was born June 11, 1932, at Kansas City, Missouri, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John White Hudson. Her father died several years ago and her mother now lives in Dobbs Ferry, N.Y. She lived with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, in Austin for two years before her marriage.

She graduated from the University of Kansas City and received a Master's degree from the University of Texas. She taught at Zilker School in Austin. She is a member of the Cotillion Club, Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, Pi Lambda Theta, education, and Psi Chi, psychology honoraries.

After their wedding trip to Mexico they are at home at 1206 Norwalk Lane, Austin. (1955)

30. RICHARD JAMES NOLAN

Descent:
18. Ernestine Beatrice Nurse — 7. Ida May Waitley
Raymond James Nolan — Ernest Edward Nurse
2. Corydon H. Waitley — 1. John S. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie — Lydia Bartlett

RICHARD JAMES NOLAN, II, was born April 4, 1929, at Minneapolis, Minn., son of Ray and Bea Nurse Nolan. The family moved to California in 1931 and they built their home in Alhambra in 1936. Dick attended schools there and graduated from the California State Polytechnic College at San Luis Obispo, in 1950. He majored in animal husbandry.

His two years of military service were in the Fifth Army Service Unit. He was assigned to the veterinary corps in Chicago and St. Louis, with duties mostly involved in meat inspection for the Fifth Army. He received an honorable discharge in December, 1952.

He worked for Swift and Co., Meat Packers, in St. Louis for two years. Then he joined the staff of the National Livestock and Meat Board. His work is in the field of public relations and he travels extensively giving talks to promote the use and sale of meat.

He married Mary Jo Crean (pronounced Crane) at St. Louis on April 11, 1953. Mary Jo was the daughter of Leo Bernard and Anna Lyle Shields Crean, born at St. Louis October 10, 1928. She attended schools in St. Louis and went to Font Bonne College at Clayton, Missouri, for two years. She worked in the St. Louis office of Pan American Airways before her marriage.

They spent a few months in San Francisco, then made their home in Chicago in the fall of 1953. Dick joined the staff of the National Board in January, 1954. They live at 7612 S. Colfax Avenue, Chicago.

CHILDREN:

47. Anne Elizabeth Nolan, born June 13, 1954, at St. Louis

31. DOROTHY ANN NOLAN

Descent:
18. Ernestine Beatrice Nurse — 7. Ida May Waitley
Raymond James Nolan — Ernest Edward Nurse
2. Corydon H. Waitley — 1. John S. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie — Lydia Bartlett

DOROTHY ANN NOLAN was born August 3, 1934, at Alhambra, California, daughter of Bea and Ray Nolan.

After finishing high school she entered the Holy Name Convent at Los Gatos, California, near San Jose, in 1952, when she was 18 years old. She became one of the Sisters of the Holy Name and is known as Sister Mary James Timothy.

She is teaching second grade at St. Elizabeth's school in Altadena, 1954 and 1955.

CHAPTER SIX

SIXTH GENERATION

32. DIANE BEVERLY WAITLEY

Descent:
19. Edwin Burton Waitley, II
Irene Ostrander
11. Ward Allen Waitley
Clara Morgan
4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

DIANE BEVERLY WAITLEY was born July 28, 1930, at San Diego, the daughter of Edwin Burton Waitley II, and Irene Ostrander Waitley. She attended school in San Diego and graduated from the La Jolla High School in 1948.

She has a position with Scripps Institution of Oceanography, which is a branch of research of the University of California. She worked at the La Jolla Lab from 1948 to 1950, and has since been at the Point Loma Lab. Her particular job is paper work and purchasing supplies for seven ships doing ocean research work as far as Bikini and Alaska. They are charting ocean currents, migrations of fish and whales, mapping submarine mountains and depths.

33. DENIS EDWIN WAITLEY

Descent:
19. Edwin Burton Waitley II
Irene Ostrander
11. Ward Allen Waitley
Clara Morgan
4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett

DENIS EDWIN WAITLEY was born June 6, 1933, at San Diego, son of Edwin Burton Waitley II and Irene Ostrander Waitley.

He attended schools there and graduated from La Jolla High School in 1950. He attended the Boyden Prep School until he was admitted to the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis in the fall of 1951.

During the summer of 1952 he traveled to Europe and the tropics on the U.S.S. Missouri. Outside of the Navy his chief interest is in music and show business. He has a fine voice and sings with the Annapolis dance orchestra.

He received his Ensign's Commission with the class of '55. After graduation he took his third trip to Europe, then began his training in Naval Aviation at Pensacola, Florida. He expects to become a jet pilot. He married Rosita Denise Perea, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noe Perea, on June 16, 1956, at Pensacola.

34. DAMON REYNOLDS WAITLEY

Descent:
19. Edwin Burton Waitley II
Irene Ostrander
4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett
11. Ward Allen Waitley
Clara Morgan
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie

DAMON REYNOLDS WAITLEY was born May 21, 1940, at San Diego, California, son of Edwin Burton and Irene Ostrander Waitley. He attended grade schools there and is now a sophomore at Mission Bay High School. (1956) He is an excellent student and has made many friends in school and at summer camps. He has a talent for design and drawing.

38. THOMAS FRANCIS HOWE, III

Descent:
21. Maxine Lucile Waitley
Thomas Francis Howe, Jr.
4. Edwin Burton Waitley
Mary Lavina Roberts
1. John S. Waitley
Lydia Bartlett
12. Neil Valentine Waitley
Pauline Peck
2. Corydon H. Waitley
Rosalie MacKenzie

THOMAS FRANCIS HOWE, III, was born July 27, 1942, at New London, Conn., son of Thomas F., Jr., and Maxine Waitley Howe. At this time his father was attending the Submarine School there and became a Lieutenant in the U.S. Naval Reserve. While his father was in active service as a skipper of submarines during World War II, Tommy and his mother lived in California.

Tommy started school in Norfolk, Va., and continued in the Canal Zone and in New York.

When he was nine years old he and his mother spent the four summer months in Europe, traveling in France, Germany, Switzerland and Italy, and stopping at various ports where they could join his father, a Commander in the regular Navy and skipper of the destroyer-picket, the USS Leary.

When the family moved to Brooklyn, N.Y. in 1954 Tommy attended a private school for two years. They are now awaiting a new assignment (1956) and his father has become a Captain, USN.

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